

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Barium titanate-based particles having a coating comprising an oxide, hydrous oxide, hydroxide or organic acid salt of a metal other than barium or titanium, wherein at least 90 percent of said particles have a particle size less than 0.9 micrometer when said particles are dispersed by high shear mixing, useful in the fabrication of thin, fine-grained dielectric layers for multilayer ceramic capacitors with high breakdown voltage.

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